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2. REQUEST THAT THREE COPIES OF A STUDY ON RUBBER INDUSTRY OF SOUTH VIETNAM, PUBLISHED OVER TWO YEARS AGE, BE DISPATCHED SOONEST FOR USE AS BACKGROUND MATERIAL. ANY SUBSEQUENT UPDATING OF THIS STUDY SHOULD ALSO BE TRANSMITTED. SECRET